REACTIONS OF C1, C2, C3, C4

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## ABSTRACT

Evaporation of graphite has been carried out producing the following species in proportions which vary with the method of vaporization and ageing.

C<sub>1</sub> 3<sub>p</sub>, 1<sub>D</sub>, 1<sub>S</sub>
C<sub>2</sub> Triplet, Singlet
C<sub>3</sub> Singlet, Triplet
C<sub>4</sub>

The reactions of these species, with a range of substrates in condensed phase (low temperature) will be reported: alkanes, cyclo-alkanes, alkenes, alkynes, alcohols, aldehydes, ketones, epoxides, alkyl halides.